



# ARMY QUIETS TURBULENT ATHENIANS

Shattering of Myth of Approaching U. S. Fleet Adds to Woes of Malcontents Already in Leash of Militia

Greek Soldiers Charge Into Ominous Crowd Which Surrounds French Division After Arrest of Native Boys

ATHENS, Greece, Wednesday, Oct. 18, via London, Oct. 19.—A further detachment of French marines was landed this morning. The commander commanded the use of the parades and university buildings as barracks.

After his conference with the British minister, King Constantine appeared disposed to meet all the demands of the allies, though no unauthorized statement has been issued. Vice-Admiral Du Fornet, commander of the allied fleet, declared, after a conference with the Greek premier and foreign minister, he was hopeful that the situation would improve.

The most severe military measures are now in force to prevent trouble. The cabinet met today and, it is reported, drafted a protest to the allies against the arrest of Greek members of the reservist league by French marines last night. A crowd of reservist leaders bussed a patrol of marines, who dispersed them at the point of bayonets. Greek troops witnessed the arrest but did not interfere.

U. S. FLEET MYTH.

The collapse of reports that a United States fleet was approaching Piraeus to intervene disheartened the civilians and has helped restore order. Newspaper extras were circulated about the city by anti-allied leaders, reporting that American warships would arrive within a few hours to see that Greek neutrality was not violated by the allies. These reports greatly encouraged the mobs, thousands of Greeks actually believing that they would soon be joined by American marines.

It is with joy that we hear of the approaching arrival of the great American fleet, said one of the newspapers circulated by the royalists. It brings relief in the midst of our torments. America resents the sorrows of the Greek people and doubtless will proclaim her reproof in a voice that will resound across the sea.

The crowd that visited the American legation to present an appeal for American intervention, learned that these reports were ill-founded and the news spread quickly throughout Athens.

CLASH PREVENTED.

Only the prompt intervention of Greek troops "prevented a bloody clash between civilians and French marines last night."

A group of small boys were shouting insulting epithets at the marines and were arrested by the foreigners. A great crowd immediately collected, threatening the Frenchmen.

Greek soldiers were hurriedly dispatched to the scene and by charging, managed to scatter the crowd.

At a conference with the British minister, King Constantine declared the suspension of the suspension by the allies and which had led to the recent severe measures of repression, that Greeks would attack the allied army, was utterly groundless and without reason.

MRS. COSTELLO HEIR.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 19.—James M. Costello, head of O'Connor, Moffatt & Co., who died October 9, has willed his entire estate of \$86,000 to his widow, Mrs. Helen Mary Costello, of 1080 Haight street. There are four daughters and a son. The will was drawn up September 12, 1913.

## Allies Expect War Till 1918 Teutons Plan Grand Defensive

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BRITISH FRONT IN FRANCE, Oct. 18, via London, Oct. 19.—The war will last another year, according to the consensus of opinion among the British soldiers and their leaders. It is also the opinion of the Germans. If the views of prisoners count for anything, before the grand offensive started a high authority informed the correspondent of the Associated Press that the German line would not be broken this summer and that slow operations, wearing down the Germans, would be inaugurated and would probably last through another summer. With the approach of winter conditions, which would make military movements difficult, this officer recalled his prediction and speaking of the situation today he said:

"We know what the German resources are and what ours are and the time required to force a decisive victory for our arms in a matter of calculation." FIGHT TO FINISH.

German prisoners taken during the summer invariably spoke of peace being a certainty in the autumn. They regarded the Somme thrust as a final effort of the allies for a decision and expected that after it peace would be made. Their tone has been entirely different of late. They recognize that it is a fight to a finish between the man power and resources of the two foes and that an ultimate decision will come from the fearful attrition on the western front, which now will know no intermission until the end.

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## AGED WOMAN ASKS AID OF BLUEBIRD

Board of Health Refuses to Let Widow Sell Goods From Door to Door Because of Liability of Carrying Whooping Cough

Landlord Threatens to Evict Her and Feathered Friends, but Her Tenancy Is Insured by the Payment of Rent

Her hands told the story of more years of toll than is measured by the lifetime of many people. The joints were twisted, and the cords stood out. Stiffly she opened the handbag hung from a loop over her arm, and displayed some highly colored little squares of cloth within.

"I make, and sell these from door to door," she explained. "They are iron-holders. But since I have been ill the Board of Health won't let me sell them."

She had come to the Blue Bird for aid, for \$2.50 to pay her rent, that the landlord might not put her out of her room. The Associated Charities have been supplying her with groceries since she had been ill, but rent is not included in the aid which the organization is able to afford.

"I have never asked for this before," she said. "When I am well enough, and the Board of Health will let me sell my iron holders, I will pay it back."



It was with difficulty that she spoke. To a child whooping cough and measles come almost as part of the life of childhood.

But to the aged the same thing may mean tragedy. The woman who had come to the Blue Bird Bureau was more than 75 years of age, and had been dependent for years upon her own efforts. She had obtained aid in the form of supplies from time to time from the Associated Charities.

An attack of whooping cough struck mercilessly across the routine of her existence. For some days she was confined to her bed, and was able to struggle to her feet once or twice a day to get herself and her canaries. The disease abated, and again she was able to go forth and make her rounds, selling the flamboyant little iron and stove-holders. The Board of Health stopped that. After travelling from door to door, still racked by fits of coughing, might communicate the disease to others. No resources were left.

She had no complaint to make. Her story was simple, and there was no bitterness in the telling. All she asked was that her little room should be gavet for her as a refuge. She said:

I have enough to eat, and to feed my birds. But where would we go if we lost our room?

In the evening it begins to get cold, I go to bed. I have no way of keeping warm, so I go to bed.

It is sad lying in bed, and at night my birds do not sing to me. But in the morning when I have to stay in bed because it is too cold to sit in my room or go out, the birds sing, and I like to listen to them. They are my last friends.



Work was found for two people through the Blue Bird Bureau today. But on the list of those wanting work were so many that the success in these two instances did not bring that feeling of cheer that might have come otherwise.

The people for whom work was found were young and able. But the hardest task is that of finding work for the aged, who are able to be of real service, but whose hands have slowed down a little in the struggle, who cannot command the wage of strength and skill and youth. They are as greatly in need of help as the others. They can give the service to which they are fitted. But it is not easy to find places for them.

One woman on the Blue Bird list is able to do a little light housework, not much, but she would be glad to have the opportunity of employment as a caretaker, with light duties of a little cleaning and sweeping and dusting.

Despite her years, another woman on our list is strong and able. She has much experience with children and babies. She is ready to enter a home and prove that she will be worth being retained. She said:

People fear to leave their children with one who is unreliable. I know how they feel. Well, I know how to care for babies, and I am willing to work hard. All I want is the chance.

There is a letter from a man 65 years of age. He is ready to do cleaning and sweeping about a house, gardening, or the work of a porter. The letter is clearly from a man of good education. He closes his letter:

"Hoping to hear from you at your earliest convenience."

There is a tone in the letter that indicates that the "earliest convenience" will be none too soon.

A woman who is working, and who has a thirteen-year-old son, sought aid by telephone in finding a home in which her boy could be cared for in Oakland. He is attending school in San Francisco now, and she wants to have him come to Oakland.

Bleak Desert Claims Prospector Victim

BISHOP, Cal., Oct. 19.—Ranchmen and prospectors today sought to trace the identity of the lone prospector who perished with his team of pack animals in the desolate Eureka valley.

The tragedy was brought to light by Sam Watson, a prospector, who came across traces of blanched, coyote-gnawed bones of the pack animals. Prospectors say Eureka valley is one of the bleakest pockets of the globe and that a hot desert wind never ceases to blow there. The remains of the outfit were almost completely buried in sand.

Georgia, Tenn., Rocked by Light Earthquake

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 19.—Only slight damage—broken windows and chimneys—was reported today as the result of an earthquake that rocked Georgia, Tennessee and part of Kentucky and Eastern Alabama late yesterday. Three shocks were felt in Birmingham, two elsewhere. Near panics resulted in many cities.

## News in Small Doses

ORANGE, N. J.—Telling to cheer up a dying friend with a game of pinochle, 80-year-old John Hawkes drew the first good hand he has held for years and fell out of his chair dead.

NEW YORK.—The zoo's tahr, or tree-climbing goat, that wears a mustache, is so numerous that four of him are to be deported. This bird, or beast, is so ambidextrous with its horns that it hangs itself to dry whenever it takes a bath.

CHICAGO.—"He keeps calling up my wife, who is pretty, and trying to make a date with her," Frank Ladde, masseur, said when he advertised in the papers for a certain saloonkeeper to meet him.

CHICAGO.—He loved her beautifully groomed finger nails, so Samuel Feldman, Russian student in the University of Chicago, and Miss Margaret Foller, co-ed, eloped to New York.

JOLIET, Ill.—Unless Lloyd McRibbon, 12, attends Sunday school every Sunday for a year he will be fined \$100 and given ninety days in jail on a larceny charge.

SAN FRANCISCO.—If the "wets" others.

win in California at the coming election Ulrich Remensperger Jr., a brewer, and his bride, whom he will marry November 15, will take a honeymoon trip to Honolulu. If the "dry" wins they will go elsewhere.

SAN FRANCISCO.—Mrs. Anna Loth, seeking a divorce, testified that her husband put a noose around his neck and threatened to hang himself but got mad and wouldn't do it when she told him to "go ahead and hang."

Ex-Convicts Restored to Full Citizenship

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 19.—Governor Withycombe has restored to citizenship eight ex-convicts, who had, he announced, "made good" since their pardon. The executives also issued conditional pardons to three convicts and paroled 35

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Seek Rolling Stock for Mexican Railways

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 19.—Six mechanics from Mexico were here today en route to Columbus, Ohio, to buy rolling stock for the national railways of Mexico. Jose Hernandez heading the party, said \$1,000,000 will be spent at once and that other orders will follow soon.

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# WEDDED, BUT STRANGERS, SAYS WIFE

Separated After Secret Marriage; Now She Seeks Legal Separation; Judge Denies the Request on Agreement Made

Ever since her secret marriage to A. B. Moulthrop on October 1, 1915, her husband has been estranged from her according to a statement offered by Mrs. Helen King Moulthrop, 33-year-old daughter of Dr. W. W. King of Alameda, before Superior Judge William H. Donahue today. Mrs. Moulthrop wants a divorce but the court said that inasmuch as she and her husband had agreed to separate after the ceremony, he had not deserted her, but instead had kept his agreement not to divorce their secret, thus being prevented from giving her support. The divorce was denied and the plaintiff announced that she will file another complaint charging cruelty.

"After I was wedding my husband and I separated, each returning to our respective homes," she testified. "Once or twice he took me out to dinner, but we have been strangers otherwise. He has called me names over the telephone."

Mrs. Wilkinson charged her husband with making an effort to raise their minor son to be a prize fighter and he complained that she insisted on reading reports of German battles to him, he being an Englishman.

Mrs. Moulthrop is employed by a wireless telegraph company in San Francisco.

## BRINGS BACK FIRST DUCKS OF SEASON; LIMIT SECURED BY OAKLAND HUNTERS



The three hunters and three limits of ducks which arrived in Oakland late yesterday from the west side country. Left to right: Frank Dailey, Frank Bilger and Charlie Carter, all of Oakland. Dailey's Chandler car in the background.

By EDMUND GRINNION.

Ducks are plentiful this season. This is the report brought back to Oakland late yesterday by Frank

Dailey, Frank Bilger and Charlie Carter, who spent the first two days of the season in the marsh country around Newman, on the west side. The three hunters claim that they had

no trouble whatever getting the limit each day they were out.

According to Dailey, who drove the party in his Chandler six, sport and teal constituted the major portion of the limits the hunters bagged.

Dailey is the first of the automobile men to return to Oakland with the limit this season. Many of the crack shots started out Sunday for the favorite shooting grounds, but few have returned as yet, so from all indications they must be enjoying some good sport.

### GOODS ROADS MAIN ISSUE.

"Now that both Hughes and Wilson have declared themselves enthusiastically for more good roads, we know that, whatever happens in the November election, the most powerful national influences will be exerted to promote this great work," says W. L. Hughes of the Kissel Kar.

"When candidates for office voluntarily assume this position it is a certain sign that the people are practically unanimous for continued work on the highways. If there were need for confirmation of this fact one need only to have talked with any of the many cross-country tourists this year. We have entertained several Kissel Kar owners who were making the transcontinental tour and everyone of them remarked about the favorable attitude toward more good roads wherever they had been."

### Review Is Asked in Tidelands Dispute

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.—A Supreme Court review has been asked of the dismissal by California Federal courts of sixteen suits contesting the title of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company to lands at Sacramento, Cal., on which its terminals are located.

The lower court held that as the railroad is a public service and has been in possession of the land for a half century, the plaintiffs cannot contest its title, but may sue for damages for any wrongful depreciation of their alleged property.

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 19.—The suits filed against the Southern Pacific Company involve the title to the Sacramento waterfront, valued at several million dollars, insofar as the property owners along Front street and the railroad are concerned. The plaintiff owners contend that their title to realty bordering on the east side of the street gives them title under General John Sutter's deed, to the west side which is on the bank of the Sacramento river.

The city of Sacramento has another suit of several years' standing to cut the railroad from the waterfront.

### Big Packing Plant to Build in Oakland

A large eastern packing house is negotiating for the purchase of ten acres of land along the waterfront between Shasta and Canal streets, on which it proposes to build a big plant. Captain T. P. H. Whitelaw, pioneer marine wrecker of 10 Pala avenue, who has an interest in this property, has been approached by officials of the packing concern which has had surveyors at work for several days to determine the suitability of the land for its purpose.

The proposed site is flanked on the north side by the Western Pacific and on the south side by the waterfront. There is thirty feet of water at high tide at that point and Captain Whitelaw says that if the company makes the purchase it will construct wharves and will have a large transportation by water.

EDITS EVERYBODY'S. NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—Howard D. Wheeler, formerly a San Francisco newspaperman, was today appointed editor of Everybody's magazine. He has been managing editor of the magazine for the last year.

### Why Shouldn't Shoes Be Beautiful

No woman wants a stodgy shoe with a dressy costume. The point is—when you buy for appearance, buy for tomorrow's appearance as well as today's.

Too often your so-called dressy shoe lacks distinction, or gives poor service, or is uncomfortable to wear.

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## EASTERN STAR TO GATHER HERE '17

Delegates at Santa Barbara Name Officers for New Term.

Oakland has been chosen as the 1917 convention city of the State Order of the Eastern Star by unanimous vote of the forty-fourth grand chapter delegates in session at Santa Barbara. Another Oakland honor came when Mrs. George A. Giechler of this city was elected grand chapter. Next year's grand chapter, the forty-fifth, will be held in October, beginning with the third Tuesday of the month.

Del Monte appeared as a rival to Oakland for the next grand chapter session, but withdrew when it became apparent that this city was assured of at least a three-fourths vote. It contented itself with boasting for the 1918 grand chapter.

Other officers elected by the grand chapter included Dr. Maud N. Smith, widow of San Francisco, chosen by an almost unanimous vote as worthy grand matron; Dr. W. S. Holman, Los Angeles physician, Mason and lodge member, worthy grand patron, and Mrs. Kate J. Willats also of San Francisco, grand secretary. Dr. Haven is a past worthy matron of Ivy Chapter, San Francisco. She formerly was the place of grand marshal in the state chapter.

On recommendation of the State officers, the convention ordered the grant of charters to seven new chapters. They are:

Pentaphia, No. 339, at Marticca; Ionic, No. 340, at San Diego; Esparto, No. 341, at Esparito; Manzanita, No. 342, at Morgan Hill; York, No. 343, at Waita; Atascadero, No. 344, at Atascadero, and South-West, No. 345, at National City.

### Mothers See Need of Welfare Work

The need for child welfare work, and co-operation among the federated women's clubs was emphasized at the annual breakfast of the Oakland Club, which brought together more than one hundred of the club members and their guests.

Vivid with autumn flowers, Starr King Hall was the setting for this event, the most elaborate ever given by the women's clubs of the entire state this season.

The honor guests seated at the round table where orange blossoms linked together the places, were presidents of various prominent clubs, among them being: Mrs. Aaron Schloss of the Twentieth Century Club; Mrs. Lucille Langworthy, president of the Alta Mira Club; Mrs. Arthur O. Gott, Adelphian Club; Mrs. Charles S. Chamberlain, Mrs. Ruth.

W. Mrs. George W. Bunnell and a number of others.

Members of the board of directors assisted in receiving and six of the members were seated at the head of the reception tables, each planning the decoration for her own board.

At one, elaborately decked with chrysanthemums running the gamut of yellow to orange and with a small, dried little Persian orange mace at each place, Mrs. Robert Lewis Hill presided. Others heading tables were Mrs. E. L. Wharton, Mrs. G. M. Hancock, Mrs. W. H. Kelly, Mrs. D. A. O'Brien and Mrs. Louise Smith.

### Investigators to Probe Price of Gasoline

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 19.—Prosecution of the Standard Oil, Union Oil, Associated Oil and Shell companies under the provisions of the Sherman and Clayton acts will begin in this city at an early date, according to information given out by United States District Attorney John W. Preston.

He has secured an immense amount of data collected by the Federal Trade Commission in an investigation of the price of gasoline, and is about ready to proceed with the filing of the suits.

Reports to Preston show that the current price of gasoline—19 cents—has risen from 12 cents in the last twelve months. The investigators are said to have found that the price is fixed every little while by the Standard Oil Company and that the other companies conspire with it to set the same price.

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On his quiet trip Preston followed close on the heels of Theodore Roche, principal attorney for the defendants. He returned about a week ago to prepare for the trial of the cases, which are set for November 15. There are sixty-one indictments against the defendants.

### Charges Dismissed; Prosecutor Accused

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 19.—Five criminal charges against William K. Wubben, confessed embezzler, have been quietly dismissed from the reserve calendar by Judge Matthew Brady on the motion of District Attorney Flickert. Discovery of this fact was made today by Attorney T. C. Van Ness, who accuses the district attorney's office of paving the way for a pardon of Wubben, who is serving a sentence of a year and a half in San Quentin. He is said to have embezzled \$40,000 while cashier of the Caledonian Insurance Company.

"A man snatched a purse in a car the other day and got five years for it," said Van Ness. "Wubben got \$40,000 and got a year and a half. He has served half his term, and now they are trying to get him out. It seems to me the least the district attorney could do would be to consult the people most injured."

### Paralysis Epidemic Problem in Portland

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 19.—The City and County Medical Society met last night to discuss and act on the growing epidemic of infantile paralysis in Portland. There are now four teen cases, one of which is of a youth 20 years old. The cases are well distributed about the city and doctors announce there is no cause for general alarm. One of the suburban schools has been closed for fumigation; one was closed for a day last week and another carefully watched for developments of the disease. The characteristic of the cases reported here has been the presence of piles in the home. Dr. David N. Roberson, state health officer, attended the meeting.

## Out of Sorts

THAT IS something is wrong with baby, but we can't tell just what it is. All mothers recognize the term by the lassitude, weakness, loss of appetite, inclination to sleep, heavy breathing, and lack of interest shown by baby. These are the symptoms of sickness. It may be fever, congestion, worms, croup, diphtheria, or scarlatina. Do not lose a minute. Give the child Castoria. It will start the digestive organs into operation, open the pores of the skin, carry off the fetid matter, and drive away the threatened sickness.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of *Charles H. Fletcher*.

### Natives Will Hold Whist Party Tomorrow

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 19.—Johnny will come marching home tonight. The Seventh regiment and signal corps units, in three sections, were reported to have passed through Tucson, Ariz., early this morning. The troopers are expected here early this afternoon.

From the time the soldiers reach Exposition Park until they are mustered from federal service, downtown theaters, movies and dance parlors will be thrown open to them free. Beach resorts are arranging for free swims for the men from the Arizona deserts, while public subscriptions for their entertainment will be picked up daily.

The Second Infantry and the artillery and cavalry branches of the California army will entrain either to-night or tomorrow.

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Orrine is prepared in two forms: No. 1, secret treatment; Orrine No. 2, voluntary treatment. Costs only \$1.00 a box. Ask for booklet. Ogood Brothers, Twelfth and Washington and Broadway and Seventh streets. Advertisement.

# TRAIN WRECKERS DERAIL FLYERS

Two Members of Crew Dead;  
Passengers Saved by Steel  
Coaches.

MANITOWOC, Wis., Oct. 19.—Train No. 111, Milwaukee to Ashland, on the Northwestern railroad, was wrecked here early today and the fireman and engineer killed when the train jumped the track and plunged into a ditch. Steel coaches saved the passengers. Railroad men said the wreck was caused by train wreckers. The motive is not known.

It was the fifth attempt in the last five years to wreck the train. The dead are:

Robert Fitzgerald, 60, engineer, Milwaukee, scalded and head crushed. Albert Perchein, 30, fireman, Green Bay.

The switch had been thrown and the red danger light had been turned around, so as to show only the green light. The engineer thought he had a clear road and went ahead. The engine jumped the track and dragged the mail and express coaches with it.

## Infirmary Too Far; Stork Tires Leaves Precious Burden at Emergency Instead

It's a girl, and it first saw the world from a cot at the Receiving Hospital. The parents planned that it should first make use of its lungs at the County Infirmary, and with that idea in view called for the amputation of that institution early this morning. But time could not wait until the automobile reached the structure out near San Leandro, and insisted that the baby be born nearer home.

Seeing that the mother's condition precluded the long ride to the county's hospital, the attendants sped up their car and turned it in at the emergency hospital doorway. Preston. It was reported today following his return from the north.

The Standard, Union, Shell, Associated and other oil concerns are said to be implicated in the gasoline "trust" which is alleged sets the gasoline price for all. The Federal Trade Commission and geological survey have been assisting in the gathering of data for the "trust-busting suit."

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## PRESTON HAS DATA TO AID BOPP TRIAL

U. S. District Attorney Back  
From North With  
Evidence.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 19.—Data for filing an anti-trust suit against local oil companies charged with fixing the gasoline price, and additional evidence for the government in the neutrality violation trial of German Consul General Bory and others were secured at Seattle and Tacoma, by United States District Attorney Preston. It was reported today following his return from the north.

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## NUDE IS ARTISTIC, DANCER DECLARES

Future Will Have Broader View  
of Interpretation by  
Rhythm.

I can't understand why people criticize me because of the little clothes I wear in my dances. I try to interpret a story in a dance with the scenes as nearly resembling the original in the native country as possible. It's time that people recognized more clearly that dancing is an art.

Miss Burrows Fontaine, the 18-year-old dancer who has been electrifying audiences at the Oakland Orpheum with her clever dancing, believes that picture should bring the audience to rounds fair and the people will by that time be educated to the artistic viewpoint.

Miss Fontaine takes kindly to criticism, but she does not expect to find her critics hard for appearing in public with less clothes than the law allows. She said:

Dancing is my art. I dance the way the natives dance. I don't consider myself as near as many others think I should. I expect to be criticized, but you just wait a few years hence. They'll be dancing without any clothes.

At a time that police officers would have to court an artist who danced barefooted. That time is now past, for we all dance in our bare feet. We have to, to give correct interpretations. It requires skill and hard work to tell a story by tripping on the light fantastic and if the public could be educated to this fact, they would be lighter in their criticism of the scanty wearling that some of the dancers wear.

Then, too, it's up to the audience. Some audiences are more of the artistic temperament than others, and expect more criticism. The smaller communities that are in the larger for in the latter you find the more artistic type.

Miss Fontaine is a direct descendant of Martha Washington, and has the same physical qualities to prove her claim, too.

She was taken in charge by a Russian dancing master while touring Europe with her mother. Later, she traveled in the countries where dancing and interpretation. She interprets exquisitely the East Indian, Hawaiian and Greek dances.

## Secret of Death Lies Hid in Desert Sands

Abandoning all hope of locating the remains of R. H. Genung, Oakland mining man, lost while attempting to cross the Mohawk Desert in Arizona, the searching party, headed by his two sons, is returning. For days they hunted over the Arizona desert in vain. Genung carried a small canteen and provisions for three days. It is believed that he cannot be alive.

C. E. Genung and W. A. Genung, his brothers, and Carroll Genung, his nephew, took up the search after it had been reported that he had not reached Ajo, his destination. Genung attempted to walk to this place from Mohawk, carrying his provisions for the trip. No trace was found of him on the desert, save a handkerchief, believed to have been dropped by him in his walk. The searching party is now on its way to Poma, where Genung's wife and children are awaiting news.

## To Receive for Talented Trio

Leo, Jan and Michael Cherniavsky, the talented fraternal trio of Russian musicians, will be guests of honor Saturday night at a reception tendered by the San Francisco Music Teachers' Association in the ballroom of the Fairmont hotel. A short musical program will be presented.

The three brothers, who are 26, 24 and 23 years of age, respectively, have been associated together since early childhood as players of the violin, piano and cello. Each is a soloist of rare attainments, and their ensemble playing is declared to be perfect. They will give two performances next week in San Francisco, in Scottish Rite auditorium, on Sunday afternoon and Thursday evening.

## Pat Kisich, Jevial Host to New "Club"

Pat Kisich, the well known restauranteur and hotel keeper, here to celebrate his birthday anniversary last evening by entertaining a small number of friends at dinner at the Saddle Rock. Wild duck, the result of Kisich's first hunting of the season, was the main dish on the menu.

Speeches felicitating the host on his advanced age were made by John G. Cook, Dan Johnson, Chas. W. Miller, Peter and J. R. Miller. The guests included Commissar Harry Anderson, Chief Peterseen, Dan Hanlon, J. C. Hedemark, Harry Encell, Fred Anderson, Frank Thompson, John G. Cook, Alex Horwinski, J. R. Miller, Axel Warenkold and Fred Faulkner.

## Says Wife Held Hands with Clerk

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 19.—Mrs. Lila May Comstock sat up nights in the lobby of a downtown hotel where she lived with her husband, holding the night clerk's hand and passing him her hand to Hollin Baggett Comstock, who asked the court for a divorce today.

He says that guests in the hotel told him of his wife's conduct and that once he would find her in bed with Mr. Comstock hugging and kissing the night clerk.

They were married June 6, 1915. A property settlement has been made out of court.

## Police Seek Cause of Infant's Death

Police Inspector R. V. McSorley is investigating the death of an infant born last night to Mrs. Ruby Fleming, 2609 Orange avenue. Mrs. Fleming, whose husband is said to be dying of tuberculosis in an San Francisco hospital, that the child was born dead. Dr. P. V. Tiffey, autopsy surgeon, declares, however, that the infant had breathed after birth. It is the contention of the coroner's office that the child died of lack of care.

Mrs. Fleming is in a precarious condition today and unable to make a statement to the police.

## Road Bond Booster to Talk in S. F.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 19.—To help the campaign for the proposed \$15,000,000 bond issue for new roads in California, Samuel Hill, one of the greatest good roads authorities in the United States, came here today. Saturday he will address a gathering here in favor of co-operation between California, Oregon and Washington in the construction of the finest highway in the country from the Canadian line to Mexico.

## Fear Missing Man Is Down Mine Shaft

SAN ANDREAS, Oct. 19.—Searchers were sent out today in an effort to find Juan Suarez, aged 50, an inmate of the county hospital, who has been missing since Monday when he started to walk to town. No trace of the aged man has been found and it is feared that he wandered into the hills and fell into one of the abandoned mine shafts there.

## Posse in Battle With Gang on River Bank

OGDEN, Utah, Oct. 19.—Over twenty shots were exchanged by five members of local police and sheriff's force in a brush with two alleged blackmailers in densa undergrowth on the river bottom three miles south of here last night. The clash was a sequel to a demand made on David C. Rooles, capitalist, for a sum of money said by the police to be \$10,000, or an alternative of having his two small children kidnapped. None was hit on either side. The alleged blackmailers escaped.

## VILLAGE SWEEP BY FIRE

LA PINE, Ore., Oct. 19.—The village of Crescent, near here, was swept by a fire today which wiped out the business district. Among the buildings destroyed were two store and office structures and a hotel. The loss is \$10,000.

## This Is Centenary Day of "Pants", Invented 100 Years Ago Is Discovery

CHICAGO, Oct. 19.—Stand up straight, men; swing your legs about—first one, then the other—look at 'em, and then glorify the memory of the man who invented trousers, pantaloons, or just plain pants.

It happened just 100 years ago today. A chap whose name is long since dust grew tired of breeches, with their encumbering snugness, and evolved the forerunner of the present style of trousers.

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75c Stamped { 44c  
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Made of good quality nainsook and stamped in dainty patterns. Some are ready made, others to be sewn up. Cut full length and width. A most extraordinary offering.

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These letters take the place of stamping or padding.

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Women's Knit Vests  
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Regular Price 39c

Good quality silk and lace Vests finished with silk tape. At this low price because they have become slightly soiled from handling. Sizes 4, 5 and 6.

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Flannelette Nightgowns { 59c

Entered in the Anniversary Sales at a lower price than they should bear. Of heavy flannelette with pink and blue stripes, and pocket. Cut full. Sizes 15 to 26.

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New House Aprons  
59c

Bungalow, middy and envelope styles. Made of very good quality percale. Attractive checks and stripes in medium, dark and light colors. Very neatly made and finished with pockets and bands.

Flannelette Kimonos  
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A wonderful assortment of kimonos made of a heavy quality flannelette. Floral patterns in a large range of colors. Straight line and empire effects neatly trimmed with bands of contrasting color. (On Sale in Basement Only)

Here's a Bargain!  
Hemstitched Scrim

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A most extraordinary offer. Good quality Scrim with hemstitched ends and drawn work border. In white and ecru. Width 36 inches.

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Huck Towels 10c

These are closely woven towels that will give long service. Fancy borders and a handy size.

Sale!

Women's \$13.95  
Suits

Serges, Whipcords and Diagonals. Some Fur Trimmed.

The materials are good quality. They are made in lines just as stylish as the higher priced suits from which they were copied.

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In a short time all your gray hair will be restored to an even, delicate, dark shade and entire head of hair will become soft, fluffy, long, thick and of such an even beautiful dark color no one could tell you had applied Q-Ban.

Also stops dandruff and falling hair, leaving your hair fascinating and abundant without even a trace of gray. Sold on a money-back guarantee. 50 cents for a big bottle at Normal Pharmacy, Oakland, Cal. Out-of-town folks supplied by mail. —Advertisement.

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The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame glands, rheumatism and irregularities of kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months treatment, and seldom fails to perfect cure. S. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists. —Advertisement.

# MISSIONARY TELLS SYNOD OF HARDSHIP

Presbyterians Assembled at Berkeley Consider Work of Year and Hear Reports of the Needs of School Institute.

African Conditions Resulting From War Are Told: Habit of Smoking Among Teachers of Sunday-School Told

BERKELEY, Oct. 19.—From what to do with a Sunday school teacher who smokes "in private" to have a pipe to provide for the religious education of 4,000 Africans who are now said to be gathered in German East Africa, is a long topic of discussion at the 10th annual general assembly of the Presbyterian church as reported by *Berkeley*.

The meeting, which is the first to be held in the city since the war, will be continued on Saturday.

The members of Miss Christie's staff who have outlined the men in getting the system are The Misses

Mary Christie, Valentine, Constance, Dorothy, Margaret, Mary, Mary, Lillian, Madeline, Madeline, Dorothy, Nellie, and Dorothy, Water-

house.

The women are working under the direction of Mrs. Vera Christie, assistant manager, and the records show that most of the assessments have been paid.

The leaders are not responding as rapidly as the managers, due to the fact that they have not been delayed in their work.

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house.

The system struck the name of Rev. N. E. Cleator, of San Francisco, from the list of Presbyterian ministers in California, giving as the reason he had "acted in a manner unbecoming a Christian."

Rev. Dr. Silas Johnson, president before the synod. The institute decided

that the teacher who smokes should be reprimanded, on the ground that his action would prove a bad example to his class.

The work of a missionary in German East Africa following the declaration of war in Europe and the fight to maintain the cause of the mission and the subject of an address of Dr. Silas Johnson, who for 22 years has been working among the African natives.

MAKE BANANA FLOUR.

Dr. Johnson told of the experience

of making little hand mills, based

upon the French and English, while

the French and English were

driving the Germans from the colony.

Food supplies were soon exhausted and

the native inhabitants, men and women,

resorted to primitive methods to

manufacture foodstuffs.

WORK IS EXPLAINED.

Today's session was devoted to reports

from Sunday schools on foreign missions,

Sunday schools and from the San Francisco

recesses the members of the synod were

the guests of the Berkeley Y. M. C. A.

at the Association building in Alston

way.

This afternoon was devoted to "Education in the Higher Educational Institutions." The general field of Presbyterian educational work was discussed by Rev. Dr. John C. Miller, president of the Association of Colleges, who gave a report on college visitation and candidate enrollment.

Dean F. A. Burt of Occidental college

of the work in education in the state of

Rev. Dr. John C. Miller, president of the

work in the past and the prospects for

the future at the University of California.

Stanford university work was re-

ported by Dr. John C. Miller.

The opportunities at Davis farm school

were the subject of a Davis farm school

the report on young people's work.

The installation of Rev. Dr. John C. Miller

as student pastor of the University

of California will take place.

DISCUSSES BIBLE.

The charge to the pastor will be given

by Rev. John C. Miller; Rev. Robert

Freedman will deliver the charge to his

assistant pastor, Dr. Miller will deliver his in-

augural address.

Yesterday afternoon Rev. James A.

Francis of Los Angeles delivered an ad-

dress on the Bible. Dr. Miller is tour-

ing the state at this time in the interest

of the American Bible society.

Dr. Francis scolded the literati who

thinks every line of the Book is inspired

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# DIVORCE BAN AGAIN IS TO GET HEARING

Episcopalian House of Bishops Practically Decides in Night Session to Renew Anti-Re-marriage Efforts for Church

Churchmen in St. Louis Are Scanning Book of Prayer in Effort at Simplifying and Enriching Their Services

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 19.—The important divorce question in the Protestant Episcopal church conference, which was killed in the House of Deputies last Saturday, may again be brought before the ruling bodies of the conference. It was learned today that the House of Bishops, the "Senate" of the church legislative bodies, in secret session during the night, had practically decided to bring the question before the bishops for action.

The proposed new canon, which was defeated last week, would have prohibited the marriage of any person who had been a party to a divorce for any cause whatever. The present canon permits the marriage of the "innocent" party of a divorcee. The present law was ruled in order for at least three more years by the deputies when the laymen in body refused to concur with the clerical members. The proposed canon was defeated after a two-day debate.

#### ENRICH PRAYER BOOKS.

Line by line the 612 clergymen and laymen composing the House of Deputies are going over their prayer books in an attempt to revise and enrich it to meet demands for a greater freedom in the service.

The proposed changes in the main are technical. Some of the deputies fear that any scheme of revision might involve doctrinal changes. It is expected that recommendations of the commission to correct misinterpretation of Holy Scripture will be discussed today. One proposal is to change the word "damnation" in several collects to "condemnation."

#### PLAN SIMPLER MANUAL.

Another step toward the simplification of church service was taken when appointment of a committee to draft a simple manual of church services for use in parishes in which are numbers of unlettered and foreign-born persons, was announced in the House of Deputies. The Rev. Irving P. Johnson, of Fairbank, Minn., was chosen chairman.

A proposal to amend the church constitution to authorize the creation of dioceses of negro churches under negro bishops and to remove negro parishes from the supervision of the present white diocesan heads is pending in the House of Bishops, and its hallowed final action will be announced today.

The upper body also has before it a proposal to prohibit remarriage in the church of divorced persons, which was rejected last week by the House of Deputies.

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## Giggling Girls Told Good Manners Ten Rules Are Issued by State

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 19.—Girls who complain of being rudely stared at on the street should not dress so conspicuously, and parents should be careful of their children, according to Margaret Schellinger McNaught, State Commissioner of elementary schools in a booklet just published for guidance in the public schools of California. The booklet, "Ten Rules for Girls," is the first of a series of ten to be issued, and attention is given to the girls of the elementary schools, as well as to the secondary schools, in the same booklet.

Miss McNaught also advises girls and boys, too, that chewing gum and eating peanuts, fruit etc., on the street, in circuses, theaters and places of entertainment, does not show the best behavior.

#### DON'T GIGGLE.

Here are ten rules laid down for good behavior for girls:

Walk in the most modest manner. Giggling and loud talking is impossible to the girls across the street.

Do not call to friends across the street.

In boating in the street, merely indicate plainly.

In passing people on the walk, turn to the right, not to the left, with three or four steps, and take up the same pathway.

Do not stand in groups in front of shop windows, looking the windows from the outside.

Do not giggle, or whisper, in a noisy way on the cars, in the lecture rooms or church.

Be sure to see and to greet all friends and acquaintances courteously and pleasantly.

Strong young people should offer their seats in the street cars to those who are old or weak, to babies, and especially to mothers carrying babies.

When you receive courtesies from boys or girls, thank them pleasantly and heartily, or if you are a boy or a gentleman, even though he be a stranger, hold a door open for you to pass through, say "Thank you," but loud enough for him to hear it.

Boys are told to walk on the street in a manly, self-respecting way, not to be boisterous and to lift their hats upon meeting a boy or girl acquaintance.

#### LINCOLN'S EX-PP.

With the example of Lincoln before them, both boys and girls are told to be of richer and to pay no attention to money, wealth.

In the booklet Dr. McNaught shows his appreciation for democracy in this manner:

"Your father has a little more money than the father of some of the other children, do not boast of it. You are no better than you schoolmates because you wear better clothes or have better toys and books.

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#### Two "Bold Hunters" Captured by Police

Two bold hunters, four and six years old, essayed to become Indian fighters last night, and kept the police force busy for a number of hours. They were finally captured, but not before they had gone to watch the Indians.

They are Marshall and Vernon Harman, sons of Mrs. Charles Harman, 671 Twenty-sixth Street.

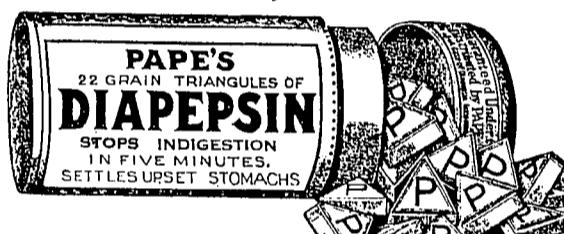
They were in the hills, in their clothes, with rifles, shot guns, tomahawks, armed themselves with their traps, and traps, and started on a search for big game and Indians. After two hours' absence their mother became worried. After three hours, however, the police were given a description of the intrepid lads.

It was only after a search of another hour that they were found, drowning in the game and Indians they had not succeeded in finding.

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2 lbs. ....

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pints 18c, or ..... qts. 55c

Grape Nuts—Fresh stock, 13c

package ..... 13c

Ginger Snaps—Crisp 12½c

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# ROOSEVELT STARTS FOR THE PLAINS

Addresses Crowds at St. Louis; Heckling Interrupts Speaker, Who Answers With Lively Retorts; Greeted by Denizens

Fireworks and Cheers for the Colonel, Who is Traveling Toward "Short Grass" Country in His Special Train

ABOARD ROOSEVELT'S TRAIN, ST. LOUIS, Oct. 19.—With the Kentucky mountain district and its eventful day behind him, Colonel Roosevelt is speeding across Missouri and Kansas today to the scenes of his "short grass" range riding days.

While the Colonel ostensibly is out to make votes for Republican Candidate Hughes, he does not intend to spend all his time playing politics while in Phoenix, Ariz., and Albuquerque, N. M., where he speaks Saturday and Monday respectively. He is looking forward to meeting some of his old plains pals. And if the Colonel keeps all the dates with gun-fighting cowboys who knew him in the old ranch days who have wired him to be sure and visit them, this trip won't end when it's expected to.

There are two men, however, who have wired Roosevelt that they will meet him either at Phoenix or Albuquerque. One is Seth Bullock, who used to sit behind the Colonel at political meetings with a pair of loaded Colts in his hands, "to keep the audience attentive."

The other is Jim Davis, whose left ear "was bit off" by a gentleman in an argument.

Roosevelt admittedly is glad to get out. West. It has been four years since he did any Western traveling. Then, too, his due restlessness was not by railroad skeleton, but the cracked freight train ahead of his special, which pulled him two hours, the engine pulling his car back down six times.

Excepting Louisville, Roosevelt got his best reception at Corbin. Despite a downpour; several thousand mountain folk, who could get a job anytime supping as a mob in Belascoqueque plays, all but tore Roosevelt's arm from his shoulder joints shaking hands with him.

One grizzled old man, who was obviously stranger to 1916 civilization persistently yelled "Where's Teddy? I want to see 'Teddy' until finally Roosevelt interrupted his speech to say, "Well, my friend, take a look, I'm 'Teddy'." And then the old chap refused to let the colonel continue his speech until he had gripped the colonel's hand.

For all the fireworks there were numerous, very numerous, Wilson rooters at Phoenix Hill auditorium, where the colonel spoke to 4000. They started heckling from the beginning and only quieted when he pleaded for "a square deal and us much of a monologue as possible."

ROOSEVELT'S ANSWER.

Persistent heckling in his speech brought the retort, "I'm coming back to you to give you a chance to cheer when I tell about how women were ravaged and American men murdered during the Wilson administration because there were men like you in charge at Washington."

"Pat 'em up, Teddy," several yelled, and he answered, "I will if he gives me half a chance."

PLAYS WILSON.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 19.—That President Wilson had known and enunciated the proper principles to follow at the outset of the European war, and that they had been reiterated in the Democratic platform, but that they had not been followed out, was declared here last night by Theodore Roosevelt, who used the term "hypocrisy" to describe the foreign and Mexican policies of the national executive. He criticized the President, Colonel Roosevelt said, because he considered it his duty as an American citizen.

Colonel Roosevelt scored the administration for failure to "carry out its pledges," declared that one of the President's supporters had said the Democratic platform was "to get into office," and deplored the mental attitude to be induced by such a statement. The speaker said President Wilson, instead of "speaking softly and carrying a big stick," spoke "bomastically and carried a dishrag."

HEAVY SNOWFALL, GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Oct. 19.—October has broken all records here, three and one-half inches of snow falling during the night, preceded by .30 inch of rain. There was a marked drop in temperature from 6 to 23 degrees.

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DANIELS IS SPEAKER.

BELLEVUE, Ky., Oct. 19.—Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels addressed a large crowd at the opera house here on the issues of the campaign as they relate to the upbuilding of the navy. Secretary Daniels arrived in Cincinnati, across the Ohio river from Bellevue, early in the day and had a reception at the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce.

Later he tendered a luncheon at the Civitan-Press Club.

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## U. S. MUST PAY MEXICAN LOSSES.

Earlier than was expected the penalties of the Watchful Waiting and Wobbling Warfare of Woodrow Wilson in Mexico cast their shadows before. Mr. Jusserand, the French ambassador, has just filed with the State Department at Washington a few bills against the United States for French losses in Mexico. The particular item on which the ambassador intimated he expected early action, because the case was too plain to call for exhaustive investigation, was for \$60,000,000, this being the loss inflicted on Frenchmen as a result of Carranza having closed the doors and confiscated the property of the Banca de Londres y Mexico.

This is merely the beginning. Over two years ago the President indicated to the governments of Europe that he wanted a free hand in dealing with Mexico, and insisted that it was the peculiar province of the United States to interfere in the affairs of governments of the Americas, if interference was called for. Being deeply engrossed with local affairs, the European powers accepted the Wilson view, but made clear through their diplomatic representatives that, while recognizing the rights of this country to deal with Mexico as it saw fit, they would hold the United States responsible for any losses to their citizens and their property resulting from unlawful methods and acts.

Every foreign government that has suffered outrage to its citizens and destruction of the property of its nationals in Mexico will put in a claim to the United States for damages. Morally the American government is responsible. Under international law it cannot escape liability. Foreigners have suffered losses amounting to hundreds of millions through the illegal acts of the Carranza government—through confiscation, arson and assassination. Spain is a very heavy loser and so is China. France, Germany and England have been more respected on account of the reputation of their governments for protecting their citizens, but all will have heavy claims for damages to property. If the Washington government acknowledges its liability for losses to foreign governments, it can hardly escape indemnifying its own citizens for similar losses.

President Wilson has said that any people has a right to do with itself as it pleases, and "no body shall butt in." He will have to revise his views. He will find that no nation has a right to run wild with anarchy to the hurt of other nations, to disregard its covenants with other nations and to suspend the laws providing for the protection of foreign citizens it has invited to dwell within its jurisdiction. President Wilson may be permitted temporarily to renounce these safeguards so far as the United States is concerned, but other nations will not let him speak for them unless he speaks effectively for law and order, the protection of life and property.

## WOMEN IN THE CAMPAIGN.

Certain female voters enlisted in support of Mr. Wilson's candidacy for the Presidency participated in a spectacle Tuesday evening that must occasion general regret among San Francisco's citizens and which the participants themselves can find but little satisfaction in recalling.

When the members of the women's Hughes campaign committee arrived at the ferry building they were met by a gang—no other term is appropriate—of Wilsonites intent upon embarrassing their arrival by so-called heckling. These Wilson women were accompanied by a hired troupe of uncouth, unkempt male bearers of banners and transparencies. Disregarding all the rules of simple courtesy, they assaulted the visitors with impudent questions and coarse epithets, such as newspapers would not print and which it is to be hoped they would not indulge in their homes.

However, the conduct of the Wilson hecklers is less puzzling than their organized presence at the ferry station in the first place. Under what motives did they appear to annoy the visiting supporters of another candidate? Why should women voters, from whose influence in politics we have been promised so much charm and sweetness, resort to gang hoodlumism which men have long ago abandoned as shamefully undignified. If the Hughes women have chosen to

make a tour of the country in the interest of their favorite, that does not constitute a bar to the Wilson women doing the same thing. Nor does their loyalty to one who is championing women's interests give provocation for any group of female partisans to forget the ordinary civilities and make a disgraceful exhibition of themselves. That the Wilson hecklers were advised as to their action by the Democratic campaign committees does not justify them in holding the dignity of womanhood so cheaply.

Another point worthy of consideration is the falsehood and vicious innuendo employed by the hecklers. Such cries as "The Billionaire Special" were silly untruths put into their mouths by Democratic publicity workers. All of the women Hughes committee but two earn their livelihood by their own hands and brains. They are women distinguished by their work in human service, and especially for the better interests of women. That women who have made up their mind to vote for a different candidate for President could not, in seeing the committee visit San Francisco, refrain from flagrant discourtesies amply justifies the assumption that many women have yet far to go before they can play the game of politics in good temper.

## POLITICS AND FOREIGN TRADE.

As originally enacted, the federal reserve act prohibited any national bank establishing a branch in a foreign country. The only possible explanation of the theory by which the Democratic Congressmen were guided in taking this view against banking activities abroad is misguided provincialism. When Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo induced Mr. Wilson and the leaders of the administration to support his propaganda for increased commercial relations with Latin America and the government ship ownership scheme, it became necessary to amend the federal reserve act in this respect. For how could American commercial transactions be made without banking facilities for and affiliations with the foreign trade fields? Congress therefore did a

useful thing in permitting organized banking interests of the United States to provide service for commercial enterprises in foreign countries. The majority of Congress had to be converted to the idea through the devious and dark channel of an administration political scheme, it is true, but an essential instrument in foreign trade development has been provided.

However, Congress, not being enlightened in the same manner as in the case of the federal reserve bank amendment, refused to pass the Webb bill authorizing combinations of American firms of different lines of business as export selling agencies. What prejudice existed against this measure is not known. Owing to the high productive costs in the United States, co-operative selling or some other sort of aid is necessary to enable our producers to compete in foreign markets.

Advocates of the Webb bill pointed out that foreign manufacturers, already strongly organized, would receive government aid, where they are not already receiving it, in capturing and controlling foreign markets, and that the least Congress could do would be to permit our own manufacturers and exporters to help themselves. Almost before the echoes of these warnings had died away comes the report of the government committee of the British Board of Trade dealing with financial facilities for trade after the war and particularly with reference to financing large overseas contracts.

This report urges the constitution of a new bank under royal charter to be called the "British Trade Bank." It is to have a capital of \$50,000,000. Other features proposed include a foreign exchange department, where special facilities might be afforded for dealing with bills in foreign currency. It should open a credit department for the issue of credits to parties at home and abroad.

It should enter into banking agency arrangements with existing Colonial or British foreign banks wherever they could be concluded upon reasonable terms, and where such arrangements were made it should undertake not to set up for a specified period its own branches or agencies. It should have power to set up branches or agencies where no British foreign bank of importance exists. It

should inaugurate an information bureau in close touch with the commercial intelligence department of the Board of Trade. Where desirable, it should co-operate with the merchant and manufacturer, and accept risks upon joint account. It should receive Government assistance, being appointed to carry through foreign commercial and financial transactions in which the Government may be interested.

This scheme of the British Government has special reference to the trade in South America and the Orient. It flowered while Congress abandoned all consideration of constructive legislation and closed in a frenzy to pass purely campaign acts and let its members get home to their campaign fences. The Webb bill was tabled to make way for the Adamson higher wage law.

The new Philippine Congress, created by the "independence bill" passed at the last session of Congress, opened in Manila on Monday. It is composed of a senate and house of representatives, both elected by the people, and is the first such legislative body the Filipinos have ever known. For the first time in the history of government in the Philippines that non-Christian tribes have been represented in the legislative department. Hadji Butu represents Moro province in the senate; he is a Mohammedan. An Igorot, P. Ifugao, is a member of the lower house.

## NOTES and COMMENT

The high price of wrapping paper is becoming a serious problem to retail dealers. The times appear to be extremely prolific of problems.

This sweeping generalization is from the Marysville Appeal: "While all duck hunters are not liars, all fluent, easy, catch-as-catch-can prevaricators are duck hunters."

The absence of Democratic eagerness over the candidacy of George S. Patton for the senatorship is one of the noticeable features of the campaign.

Whether Villa is in the land of the living or not, he seems to have headquarters eight miles from Chihuahua. This news appears in an Associated Press dispatch, and it may give our army, now projecting around in that country, a pointer.

American sentiment of fair play was manifest at Sioux City when a heckler tried to worry Hughes during a speech. There will be a considerable letting down of sturdy Americanism if the heckler becomes a campaign institution.

There should be differentiation when the news is read that Mayor Ralph has become a Moose. The news refers to a fraternal organization, and not to a political, though the mayor was as eligible to the one as the other.

Stockton Mail sees where there is likely to be teacher vacancies: "If Miss Turner, the Oakdale school principal, and the young lady in the domestic science department can make soup for 1 cent a bowl, the Oakdale schools are likely to lose two good teachers."

The Denver Post tells of a man who committed suicide without apparent cause. Among the things he did immediately preceding was to take his fountain pen to his room to write. The Sherlock Holmes of the Chico Enterprise comes on swiftly with the clew. The pen leaked.

When it comes to slash funds the Democrats are able to "put it all over" the Republicans. Any such proceeding as that which is now under way to raise campaign money would have been a Republican scandal and brought out a new flock of reformers.

Cynicism from the Riverside Enterprise: "A curious person wants to know what proportion of Phi Beta Kappa men know what the letters stand for. What they stand for? Good gracious, the boys don't know they are letters, regarding them as an ex-ecrpt from a college yell."

The consternation over the unearthing of a 22-year-old ordinance that was, all unremembered, enjoying a period of slumber, and which imposes a tax on every pole in the city that supported a public utility wire, may well perturb the companies maintaining them. What to do about it is considerable of a question.

It might logically be supposed that a back-east commonwealth would consider itself well shut off if a forger who had come across country to operate in California; but not so. Both Iowa and Pennsylvania want an expert penman who was arrested at Porterville. And California won't give him up, thus getting into the class itself.

Social diversions at Holtville: "Friday night there was a desert party, with wheelers as the alluring feature. The party was ostensibly a winter roast, but after the fire was started a huge cake embellished with sixteen candles was produced and Miss Baker awoke to the fact that her friends were giving her a birthday surprise. She rose to the occasion and blew out the candles and cut the cake."

## SPIRIT OF THE STATE PRESS

An idea of the extent of the rice crop of the State is given in the statement of an expert that it will take over \$5,000,000 to buy it and that Butte county will produce two-fifths of the total.—Chico Enterprise.

The new-sown barley fields at Atascadero are already so green as to attract attention to the fields. It is hard for Atascadero people just out from the east to believe that winter is beginning. Only by looking at the calendar or the date of the daily paper can they keep that fact in mind.—Atascadero News.

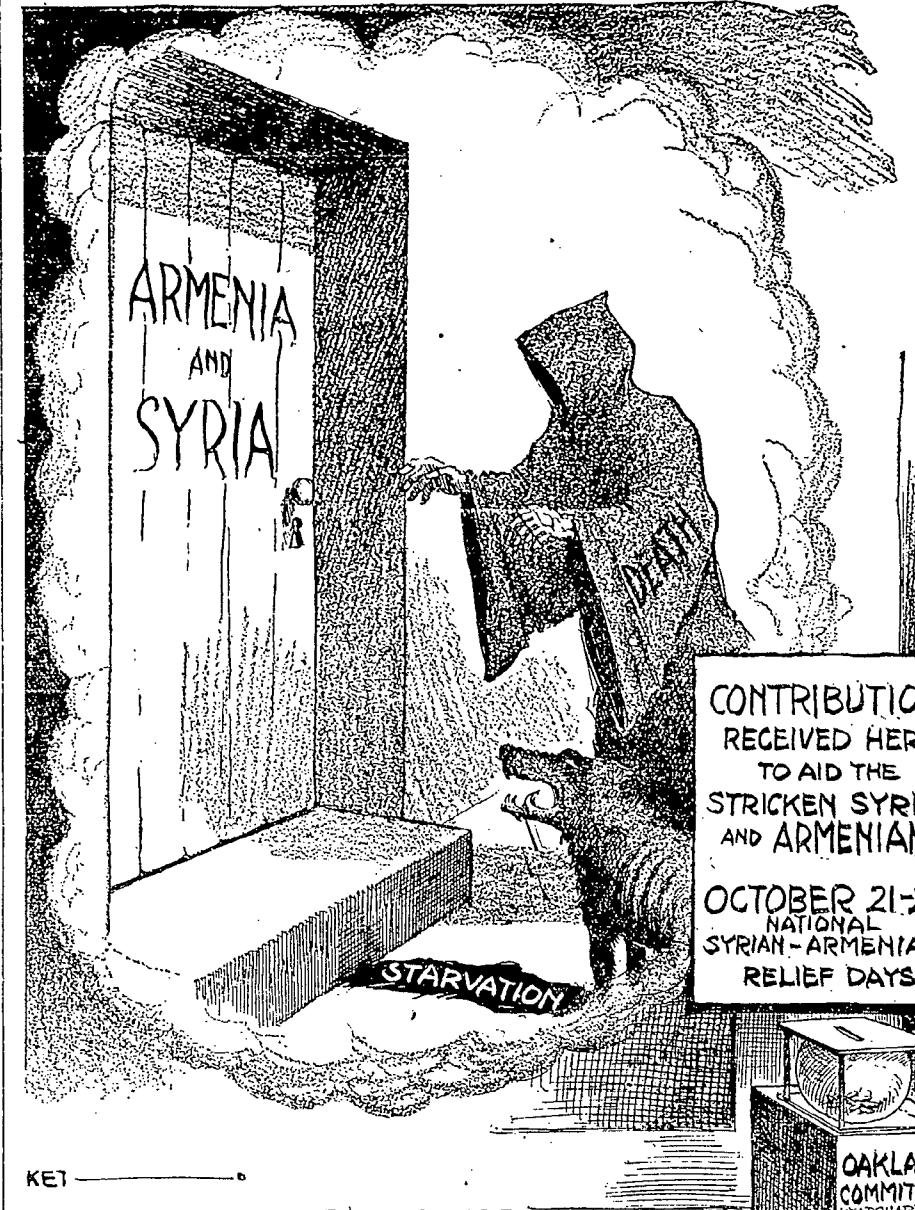
If the average number of oranges grown per tree here was as great as in Southern California, an orange orchard would be a veritable gold mine. Scientific cultural methods and a liberal use of fertilizer put the oranges upon the trees in Southern California. They will do the same here.—Oroville Register.

Experts on the management of cities from New York have made a survey of San Francisco's methods and sent in a report that much money is squandered by the municipality extravagantly and carelessly. Certainly that is true, not only of San Francisco, but of every other city in the land. It is also true that it does not take a very expert person on any line to criticize city or any other kind of a government.—Richmond Record-Herald.

## OLDEST NEW WORLD FORT.

It is a fascinating experience to visit Santa Domingo and wander amid the ruins of the ancient city, from the fortifications of Homenaje, the oldest in the new world, to the first stone church built on this side of the Atlantic, and to the tomb of the great discoverer. Nowhere else in this hemisphere are these scenes fraught with more historical significance to Americans than here, where Columbus had his hour of triumph and his hour of sorrow, and where, when he had embarked upon the return voyage from which he would never return to endure the fieble favor of petty princes, his ashes finally found repose.—National Geographic Magazine.

## HELP DRIVE THEM AWAY



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## SINGLE TAX IS CONFISCATION

Proposition No 5 as It Will Affect Non-Land-Owning Bank Depositors of California

The single taxers are guilty of deception in presenting their plan in Amendment No. 5 on the ballot, as a revenue measure.

Their official organ, "The Great Adventure," published in Los Angeles, in its issue of October 7, says:

"The purpose of the single tax is to throw open the land to all the people on equal terms. It means that the earth and its raw materials shall no longer belong to a few people, but to all the people."

Of course, all the land now in private ownership can be bestowed upon all the people only by its confiscation without compensation to the present owners.

Those who are familiar with the works of Henry George will see that this is in the right line with his single tax theory. He proposed to use the taxing power of the State, not for revenue purposes, but as the best instrument for confiscation of the land. If he had proposed plain statute of confiscation, without compensation, very important legal issues would be raised. Chief Justice Marshall's decision upon the contractual nature of a debt to land would have invoked the protection to the land owner of the Fed-

eral Constitution, which forbids the impairment of contractual obligations by a State.

Mr. George adopted the single tax as an indirect means to the same end. It makes land owning impossible by imposing a tax burden that no land owner can pay, and the State takes the land. As land will have no value, the State cannot sell it to private purchasers, for there will be none. The organ above quoted says, "Land value is going to be abolished." The State then will become the universal landlord, and the people its tenants, paying such rents as the politicians in power and office choose to exact to support the government.

Savings banks deposits are all invested in bonds or mortgages that rest ultimately upon the value of land now in private ownership. As Amendment No. 5 abolishes private ownership and land values, every savings bank in the State will find its security destroyed and depositors will lose every dollar of their deposits.

This is only one of the many direct effects in which the destructive power of this confiscatory amendment will be felt.

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Oakland, October 17.

## THE FORUM

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## FERRIES IN THE FOG.

To the Editor of The Tribune: The near-collision between the ferry steamers Oakland and Santa Clara in the fog on the bay Monday morning impels me to ask how much longer this dangerous condition of affairs is to be allowed to continue. By a very simple expedient all chance of collision could be precluded.

The idea is simply to prohibit the ferries during fog from running in opposite directions at the same time; that is, let all the ferries leave the San Francisco side at the same time and none be allowed to leave the Oakland side for San Francisco until all have arrived from San Francisco, and then all leave the Oakland side at the same time. This would permit practically as many ferry trips per hour to be made as now during foggy weather.

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## VISION OF AMERICA.

I have a great vision of America for the future.

It is not an America torn by disorders; it is not an America ruled now by that force; it is not an America given over to civil war; it is not an America where public office is merely ruled for advantages.

It is an America efficient; it is an America preparing; it is an America maintaining the rights of American peoples on the land and sea without fear or favor throughout the world; it is an America that has no secret understandings, no covert intrigues; it is an America standing four-square toward all nations firm and prepared, intent on peace and demanding that just rights be recognized as to lives, property and commerce.

The America that I see in the future is an America that knows how to manage its great activities without being wasteful and extravagant. It is an America that knows how to spend public moneys honestly as well as to appropriate them.

It is an America that has patriotism in every bureau of the administration as well as in any appropriation for military operations.

It is an America where all the people abandon class antagonists through having their necessary differences which they peacefully adjust.

It is an America which, having no class antagonisms, feels knit together in a splendid national unity, in one great love of country, with one unswerving loyalty transcending all differences of race and creed, with a people inspired by the ideals of Washington and Lincoln.

Charles Evans Hughes.

APRIL WEATHER. In the night, I shall smile no more.

For my grief seemed deep, and my heart was sore;

HIGH COURT  
HEARS PLEA  
TO CUT RATE

Pacific Terminals Case Carried to Supreme Justices by Federal Bodies, Which Lost in the Previous Hearing

Many California Bay and Inland Places Interested in the Final Appeal of Their Demands for Reduced Tariff

Matters of vital importance to shippers and consignees of inland towns in California are being threshed out today in Washington before the United States Supreme Court in the hearing of the so-called "Pacific terminals case," affecting the transcontinental freight rates to Sacramento, Stockton, San Jose, Santa Clara and 178 other inland cities. Attorney John E. Alexander of San Francisco is representing the commercial bodies of the various cities affected, while Collector-General John W. Davis and Counsel Joseph W. Folk of the Interstate Commerce Commission are representing the government.

The hearing, which had originally been set for a later period, was advanced at the request of the Department of Justice and the Interstate Commerce Commission. The question to be decided is whether or not the withdrawal by the commission of the permission to maintain low terminal rates established to meet water competition via the Panama canal was illegal and in consonance with the Supreme Court ruling in the "Intermountain rate case."

**INLAND RATES RISE.**  
By a decision of the Interstate Commission of April 30, 1915, Oakland, San Francisco, San Pedro and San Diego were held to be the only terminal points entitled to reduced railroad rates by reason of the competition of the ocean carriers and the Panama canal. This order was the result of an application on the part of the railroads to be allowed to cut the terminal rates in order to meet the water competition. By a clean sweep Sacramento, Stockton, San Jose and Santa Clara were cut from the list of cities enjoying the low rates.

Commercial organizations of the cities affected at once sought an injunction against the carrying out of this order, and on December 8, 1915, the Circuit Court issued an interlocutory injunction. The serving of this injunction was contested by Counsel Joseph W. Folk at a hearing held January 31, 1916, in San Francisco. The injunction was confirmed, and an appeal was taken by the commission to the Supreme Court. This matter is still pending.

On the application of the "Intermountain" shippers, comprising Spokane, Butte, Helena, Denver and other Rocky Mountain cities, the Interstate Commission on June 5, 1916, issued an order withdrawing the permission therefore given to maintain the lower terminal rates on the Pacific coast, the decision declaring that water competition, owing to the temporary closing of the Panama canal, no longer existed. The higher rates were to have gone into effect on September 1.

**STORM OF PROTESTS.**  
A storm of protests immediately arose and in answer to these, the commission on August 29 issued an order suspending the effectiveness of the higher rates until December 31, 1916. These matters are being discussed by the legal adversaries today.

If the higher rates are allowed to go into effect, the condition of affairs will be about what it would have been if relief had not been granted by the commission in October, 1914. The decision for the increase in rates virtually declares that the prevailing rates are lower than "reasonable" and the declaration that there is no water competition makes it necessary for the carriers to advance the tariffs or subject themselves to the danger of having them regarded as voluntary reasonable rates, and having them used for the purpose of comparison for testing reasonableness of rates on similar commodities elsewhere.

**West Indies Sale  
Proponents Leave**

**SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, Oct. 19.**—The delegates from the Danish West Indies on their way to Copenhagen to urge the sale of the islands to the United States sailed from this port for New York today after a week's delay here.

## Mills College Girls to Be Seen in Elaborate Production of Elizabethan Drama



Two of the young women who will take part in Mills College play. They are Miss Mary Nafe (left) and Miss Irene Jameson.

## Stanford Men to Equip Ambulance

## To Aid Hospital Work as Memorial

**STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., Oct. 19.**—Stanford students and members of the faculty plan to unite in raising a fund for the purchase and maintenance of an ambulance on the French front in the European war, as a memorial to Prof. Robert E. Pelissier, formerly of the Stanford faculty, killed in action August 29 in the Battle of the Somme. It was announced today.

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AT

New Piedmont Baths

TWENTY-FOURTH AND BAY PLACE

Take Oakland Avenue Car

WHAT IS DOING  
TO NIGHT

Baby Hospital Association's annual fair, Auditorium.

Palestine pageant, First Congregational church.

Fitchburg Social and Improvement Club meets, 7227 East Fourteenth street.

Presbyterian churches convene, First Presbyterian church, Berkeley.

New England bazaar, Sequoia hall.

Clarence Eddy gives organ recital.

First Presbyterian church.

"Community Health," subject of Prof. W. B. Herms' lecture, Library, San Leandro.

Col. John R. Wyman Circle gives "parcel post sale," Corinthian hall.

Oakland Review gives benefit whilst party, St. George's hall.

St. Leo's parish benefit entertainment, St. Mary's College, 8:30.

Macdonough—"The Girl from Rector's Orphreum—Miss Evan-Burrows Fontaine and Vandeville.

Pantages "The Society Buds" and Vandeville.

Oakland Blanche Sweet and Theodore Roberts in "The Storm."

Franklin—Bessie Barricale.

Broadway—Harry Carey in "Behind the Lines."

Reliance—Frances Nelson in "The Revolt."

Flora—Indian Summer Fiesta.

Hippodrome—Vandeville.

Columbia—Will King in "Leschinsky's Jubilee."

"Garden of Knowledge" at Broadway Theater.

Great Books, lecture, Greek theater, Berkeley, 4 p. m.

Organ recital, Channing Club, First Unitarian church, Berkeley, 5:10 p. m.

Sophomore hop, Harmon gymnasium, U. of C., 9 p. m.

Presbyterian churches convene, First Presbyterian church, Berkeley.

Advertising bureau, Chamber of Commerce, gives smoker, clubrooms, evening.

New England bazaar, Sequoia hall.

Oakland Homestead gives children's festival, N. S. G. W. hall, evening.

Mrs. Lelia M. Bloomfield lectures, Hawthorne school, evening.

Retail Dry Goods Association convention, Hotel Oakland.

Speaker C. C. Young lectures before

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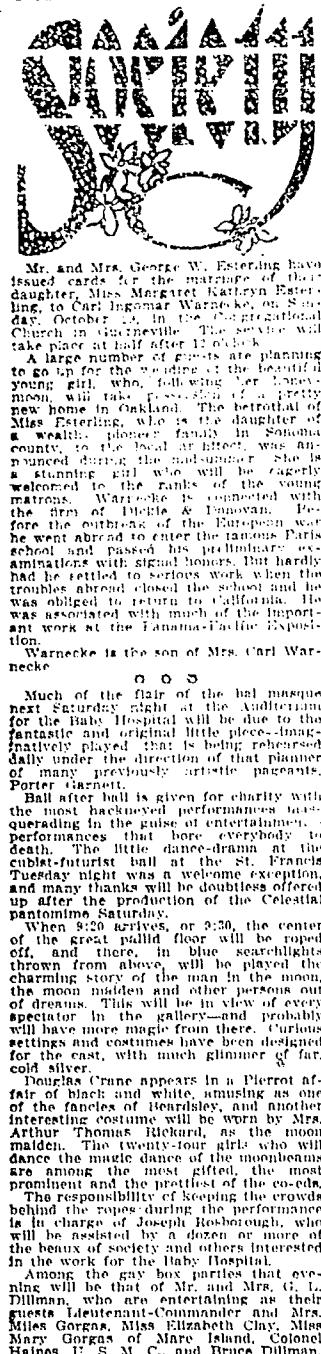
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# Secrets of Activities of the Celestial

MISS LILLIAN HUGH, whose engagement to R. Cooper Robinson has just been announced.

Webster, Photo.



WEBSTER PHOTO

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Estesing have issued cards for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Margaret Estesing, to Carl Ingomar Warnecke, on Saturday, October 19, in the First Congregational Church in Burlingame, where the wedding will take place at 12 o'clock.

A large number of guests are planning to go to for the wedding of the beautiful young girl, who, following her honeymoon, will take up residence in a pretty new home in Burlingame. The betrothed, Miss Estesing, who is the daughter of a wealthy pioneer family in Sonoma county, to the local art collector, was announced during the mid-summer as a slender, pale young woman, elegantly dressed in the ranks of the young matrons. Warnecke is connected with the firm of Dibble & Donovan. Before the outbreak of the European war, he went abroad to continue his Paris studies, and passed his posthumous examinations with signal honors. But hardly had he settled to serious work when the troubles abroad closed the school and he was obliged to return to California, where he was associated with much of the important work at the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Warnecke is the son of Mrs. Carl Warnecke.

Much of the flair of the last masque next Saturday night at the Auditorium for the Baby Hospital will be due to the fantastic and original little pieces imaginatively played that is being rehearsed daily under the direction of that planner of many previously artistic pageants, Porter Barnett.

Ball after ball is given for charity, with the most hackneyed performances now quenched in the guise of entertainment, performances that have already died to death. The little dance-drama at the cubist-futurist ball at the St. Francis Tuesday night was a welcome exception, and many thanks will be doubtless offered up to the production of the Celestial pantomime Saturday.

When 9:30 arrives, or 9:50, the center of the great pallid floor will be roped off, and there, in blue searchlights thrown from above, he will be seen, chancing stories of the man in the moon, the moon maiden and other persons out of dreams. This will be in view of every spectator in the gallery—and probably will have more magic from there. Curious sets and costumes have been designed for the cast, with much glamor as far, cold silver.

Douglas Crane appears in Pierrot affair of black and white, amusing as one of the families of Harlequin and moonlighting. Some will be worn by Mrs. Arthur Thomas Richard, as the moon maiden. The twenty-four girls who will dance the moon dance of the moonbeams are among the most prettily costumed in the production of the comedy.

The responsibility of keeping the crowds behind the ropes during the performance is in charge of Joseph Reborgh, who will be assisted by a dozen or more of the most experienced interpreters in the production of the Pierrot affair.

Among the gay box parties that evening will be that of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Dillman, who are entertaining as their guests Lieutenant Commander and Mrs. Miss Gorham, Miss Elizabeth Clark, Miss Mary Gorham of Mare Island, Colonel Haines, U. S. M. C., and Bruce Dillman.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Alexander will have as their guests Mrs. A. Al Monte, Mrs. Mabel Hutchinson, Miss Alice Cook and others.

In a party with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shockey, Bradford Burnside and Allen Babcock.

In the box of the Edward Engs will be Mr. and Mrs. Challen Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Wickham Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gilman and Mrs. Phillip Gilman and Walter Lemert.

Those who will enjoy the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cheadle will be Mr. and Mrs. Hill Toleration, Mrs. Eliza Bell, William C. Hayes and others.

With the Duncan McDuffies will be Mr. and Mrs. Russell Settridge, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dillman and others.

Another box party will be presented over by Mrs. W. W. Seabury, who will have for her guests Mrs. Charles R. Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Van Lehen, Mr. and Mrs. Edward O'Conor, Miss May Jackson and Mr. W. W. Conklin.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Whitney will be host and hostess to a group including Mr. and Mrs. Frederick P. Cutting, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bell Wakefield, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mihalka and Colonel Carl Rohrbaugh.

With Mrs. F. L. McCaffery will be Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Barton and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence De Veuve.

Two dainty and charming buds made today's social calendar something to be long remembered even in these days of brilliant entertainment. Society donned its newest and most sumptuous clothes and eight really charming Misses, including Mrs. St. Goar, San Francisco, and Miss Henshaw of Oakland to its innermost shrine. A long procession of luncheons and dinners and teas will prove how genuine that welcome is, for each will be the inspiration for much of the early winter gaiety in her own particular circle of friends.

The bride-elect, as well as the debutantes made a claim on society's interest today. The prettily planned tea at which Mrs. Joseph Hunt entertained in honor of her daughter, Miss Sally Ewing, and Miss Alice Henshaw brought together a good number of the younger set who have

been wishing the two popular young girls all sorts of good things. Mrs. Hunt is a widow, but her heart is full of love and she knew just how to plan a bridal party with all the charming informality and yet perfection of detail which will make the afternoon one to be recorded with pleasure. The bride is to be Mrs. Fred Hunt, asked a half score of her closer friends to assist in welcoming the young who called during the reception hours. They were, besides Miss Ewing and Miss Burdick, Mrs. J. Carroll Ewing, Mr. and Mrs. Burdick, Miss Alice Henshaw, Mrs. Walter Perkins, Mrs. F. M. Ish, Mrs. Marion Ish, Mrs. Neale Harris, Mrs. Myron Harris, Mrs. Earle Alexander, Miss Ethel Higgins, Miss Helen Coggan and others.

With the popular luncheon announced for Friday afternoon at Hotel Oakland by the local branch of the Armenian Relief Society, of which Mrs. Robert Phelps is president, will bring together many of the men and women about the bay whose heartstrings have been touched by the saddened nation. The speaker of the occasion will be Rev. Mr. G. Papavasiliou, a Greek, a highly educated man and well versed in the conditions of his country. He will speak on the theme of his work and its results in relation to his people.

The luncheon will, of course, launch the campaign to raise funds for the suffering men and women of Armenia.

Saturday the efforts will be broadened by an invasion into the downtown section by well-known women who will receive contributions from their husbands and Armenian friends.

Another box party will be presented over by Mrs. Fred Hunt, the bride, and the debut of Miss Ida

will be no less lovely.

A large party of intimate friends will be offered Miss Ewing as the luncheon planned by Mrs. F. H. Ewing. Mrs. Ewing will entertain at her home on Prospect drive on Tuesday, sharing her hospitality with a number of friends.

Miss Madeline Parker and Miss Carol Pardee have sent out cards for one of the larger affairs of the coming week, claiming their guests on the afternoon of Friday, October 27. Bridget will furnish the house, and the company will be presented over by Miss Ida Ewing, who will be dining previous to the holiday season with her parents.

This evening the marriage is to be solemnized of Miss Marguerite Lincoln Patterson and Franklin Rosenthal, of Oakland. It has been a pleasure to the attractive young bride and her fiance to include nearly 100 guests in the invitation for the house ceremony which will be solemnized at the residence of Mrs. Rosenthal's mother, Mrs. F. M. Ish, and will number a large number of the younger set among their guests.

At the hotel, Mrs. Rosenthal's son, in company with Miss Ida Ewing, who will be dining previous to the holiday season, will take her away from Oakland to establish her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phelps are enjoying a long vacation in Europe, having closed their Hillside avenue home for an extended absence. Their itinerary includes the famous places of that famous state which has so much to show the tourist. The Phelps have spent some interesting days in Boston and its suburbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Chickering are planning to close their Bay Vista avenue home on Thursday for a fortnight at least. They have arranged an interesting trip to the north with Seattle as their destination.

Mrs. Charles Stanton, who has been cordially welcomed on an early winter visit to California after an absence of a year or so, was the motif for a lovely little dinner party which Mrs. Charles Stanton, residing in San Francisco, has arranged for eight close friends. Mrs. Stanton while residing in San Francisco was active in club work on this side of the bay, and for several terms was the leader of the local club. She has been a constant guest to many that her husband's work has taken him East and made the establishment of her home there permanent.

The meeting of the Delphin Society this afternoon at Hotel Oakland brought together a number of local students who are pursuing a serious course of mental activity for the year.

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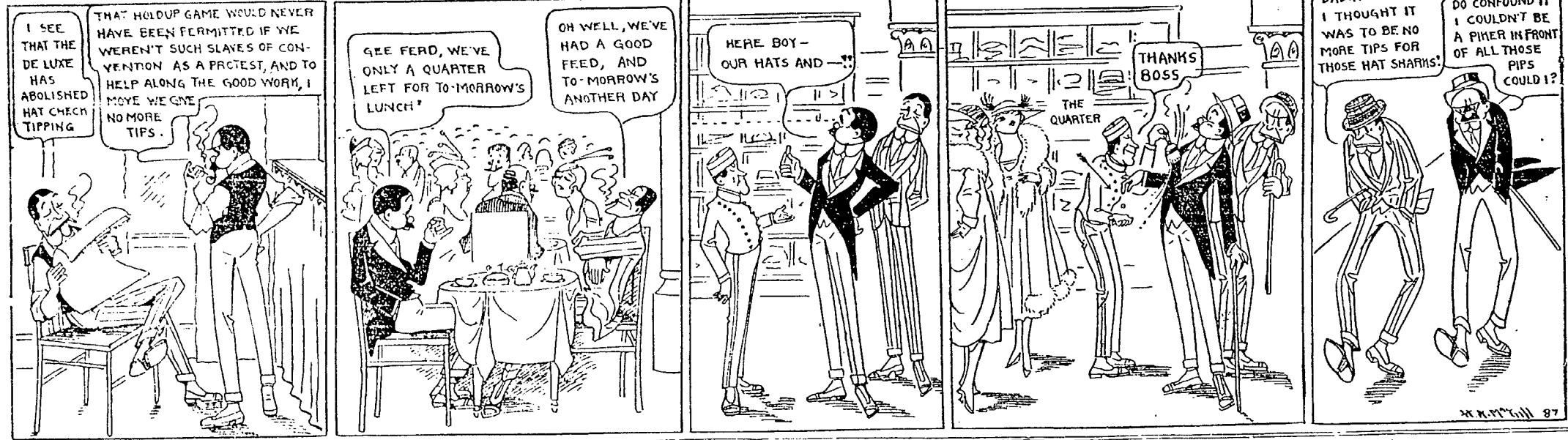
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## STOCKS AND BONDS

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## Local Eastern Foreign FINANCE

Comment & Opinion on-  
RUSSIAN CONTRACTS  
NEW STOCK ISSUE

STONISHING tales are told in Wall street concerning the Russian inspection of munitions. No one seems to be able to make out the underlying causes.

It is understood that lots of protests have been made concerning this Russian inspection, or rather Russian rejections. Both Bethlehem Steel and Midvale are having their troubles and Midvale is trying to adjust matters. Mr. Schawel, who knows his business better than these inspectors, is insisting upon his rights.

The Edystone Munitions people, threw up their contract after Russian inspectors had changed the fuses eight times. When they came back for more changes the munitions people told them the contract was broken; that they would be glad to be relieved of further liabilities and that they would put no more money into the contract.

The contract was then rethrown over to Baldwin Locomotive, who refused to assume any liability but agreed to carry out the contract as the Russians wished on a cost and percentage basis.

It is now said Baldwin may make \$7,000,000 out of this work. The more changes the more money for Baldwin.

No sooner were the Russians in control than some 5000 pieces on the

selected list were passed by the Russian inspectors in two days and 250,000 cartridge cases which had been set aside were ordered up for re-inspection.

**OFFER \$25,000,000.**  
Directors of the New York Central Railroad Company, at New York, day, authorized an issue of \$25,000,000 new stock to be offered to stockholders on the basis of 10 per cent of their present holdings. It is understood that the new stock will be issued early in the coming year. The proceeds will be devoted to general corporate purposes of the company, these probably including additional construction and improvements.

**FRESNO INTERURBAN.**  
Commissioner Loveland presided yesterday at the hearing of the application of the Fresno Interurban Railway Company for leave to abandon 150 shares of its capital stock and sell the same at \$100, to realize \$1,200, and to sell \$6,480 of par value of its bonds at \$80, to realize \$51,840. The proceeds of these issues are to be used in completing extensions of the road in process of construction. Like all other traction systems in the California interior cities, the Fresno Interurban is suffering to some extent from jitney competition.

Owing to wire trouble the Eastern Stock reports are unavailable from New York and to the Mississippi river.

## OFFICIAL RECORDS

## OAKLAND BUILDING PERMITS.

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43,701—S. B. Harrington, Craig & Davis, \$122.

43,702—W. H. Hall, Craig & Davis, \$120.

43,703—J. W. Hamilton, Craig & Davis, \$80.

43,706—W. Mackay, Craig & Davis, \$100.

43,707—F. J. Peppin, self, \$125.

43,708—F. J. Peppin, self, \$125.

43,709—F. J. Peppin, self, \$300.

43,710—J. Norris, self, \$1800.

43,711—W. Davis Co., \$110.

43,712—M. Leonard, W. H. Fiske, \$330.

43,713—J. Quinn, F. T. Maller, \$800.

43,714—F. T. Maller, self, \$120.

43,715—Mrs. R. F. Stone, F. E. Allen, \$160.

43,722—J. A. Cauglin, self, \$300.

43,723—W. H. Fiske, self, \$120.

43,724—A. Smith, D. F. Harris, \$150.

43,725—George E. R. Pease, \$1800.

43,727—M. Santos, George Russo, \$210.

43,728—R. S. Clegg, \$1600.

43,731—N. T. Bracken, Hall Furniture Co., \$108.

43,732—A. O. Silva, H. G. Damerel, \$1000.

43,733—Mrs. J. M. Hadley, N. Christiansen, \$200.

43,734—Mrs. Lovett, \$225.

43,735—W. Clark, G. H. Butchard, \$500.

43,736—W. H. Fiske, self, \$120.

43,737—W. H. Fiske, self, \$120.

43,738—W. H. Fiske, self, \$120.

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POSSE TRAILING  
TRAIN ROBBERSExpress Clerk Killed and Safe  
Blown; Men Escape in  
Automobiles.

BLISS, Okla., Oct. 19.—A posse today is scouring the country north of here for six bandits who last night held up Santa Fe mail and express train No. 495, shot and killed Express Manager Percy A. Norman, dynamited the safe and escaped with an unknown amount of money. After killing the clerk and wrecking the safe, the bandits entered waiting automobiles on the west side of the track and disappeared.

Posses from Bliss, Perry and other near-by towns were carried to the scene of the robbery in a special train. Picking up the trail almost immediately, they followed the robbers toward the hills and late last night reported they believed the outlaws were surrounded in a ravine. The posses are waiting for reinforcements before closing in.

It is believed that at least two of the bandits burned the train at Ponca City.

As the train neared Bliss two men climbed to the top of the tender and commanded the engineer to stop the train.

When the engineer obeyed four other men appeared and the engine crew was ordered to detach the engine, tender and baggage car from the passenger coaches.

Norman, whose home is in Newton, Kan., was killed because he became belligerent when the bandits ordered him to leave his car. Instead of complying at once, Norman hesitated and one of the bandits fired a charge of buckshot into his face and breast.

A charge of nitroglycerin was then placed in the safe door and the safe blown open.

While the robbery was in progress two of the bandits stood guard over the train crew, with two more at the end of the baggage coach. After taking several packages from the safe, the two bandits jumped from the car, were joined by their four companions and disappeared. The engine was then run back to the passenger coaches and the train came into Bliss.

None of the passengers was molested.

**HOUSE ROBBER SENTENCED.**

James Sullivan, who robbed a house at 1024 Sixteenth street on September 19, was sentenced to two and one-half years in San Quentin by Superior Judge Ogden today. Sullivan had a prior conviction against him.

Returning Battery  
Will be Honored

A meeting is to be held tomorrow evening at the Armory building, Twenty-fourth street and Telegraph Avenue, to make arrangements for a golf tournament on November 3, the proceeds of which will be used for a reception in honor of Battery B when that unit returns from government service. Parents and friends of the players have planned an extensive welcome. Information as to the reception may be received by calling Piedmont 7795 W.

Millionaire's Son, on  
Ship, Is Promoted

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 19.—Mountford Wilson Jr., son of the millionaire attorney of San Francisco and San Mateo, has been promoted. He will go out on the Pacific Mail steamer City of Para next Saturday, now as assistant steward but as second freight clerk.

Mountford Wilson Jr. accredits with his son's ambition to become a big shipping man. Young Wilson, according to the officers of the ship, made a good record for himself on his first voyage. His promotion, according to them, was well earned.

Geffene May Go  
Free Before Dawn

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 19.—James Gaffene, alleged by the police to be Pietro Torturei, slayer of Biaggio Vildaro, may be free before night. Shortly before noon a jury in Judge Griffin's court was reported to have stood eleven to one for acquittal. This is Gaffene's second trial in the last three months. The first jury disagreed. Gaffene offered an alibi and pleaded mistaken identity.

Vildaro was slain and his body hacked to pieces ten years ago in a Green-street house. After a decade's search through the world Gaffene was arrested at Seattle.

Jordan Will Preach  
Peace in War Zone

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., Oct. 19.—David Starr Jordan, chancellor of Stanford university and peace advocate, plans to carry his peace campaign straight to the battlefields of Europe next spring, according to advices received here from his secretary, H. V. Apperle, who is at Grand Junction, Colo., with Dr. Jordan. In the early spring, the advices said, Dr. Jordan will begin a transcontinental peace speaking tour.

May Lose Claim to  
San Jose Estate

SAN JOSE, Oct. 19.—Two German claimants to the estate of Dr. George W. Selfert, who left \$250,000, may lose their right through action of the German government. It became known today. The American court at Frankfurt has written to Germany and will not allow him to take the depositions of the women who claim to be nieces, and there is no other means provided for securing depositions of persons abroad except through American consulates.

Redmen to Give  
Big Entertainment

An entertainment is planned for Friday evening at Star King Hall, Fourteenth and Castro streets, by Uncas Tribe, No. 137, Independent Order of Red Men. Following the opening address by Edgar C. Levy, Great Junior Sagamore of the Reservation of California, a program will be arranged. E. H. Rose is to be chairman of the evening. Over five hundred Red Men and their friends are expected to be present.

## WHY IS OAKLAND FIRM?

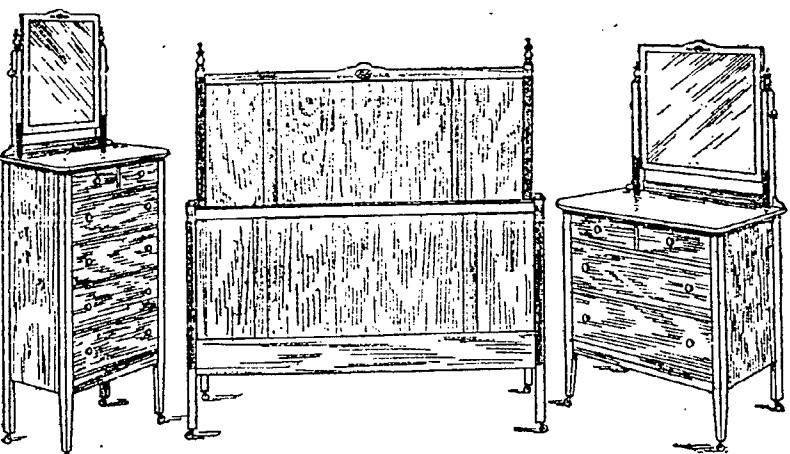
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After reading this generous and encouraging report from Mr. Strate those who have the misfortune to suffer, as he did, will naturally long to get similar relief. But to get the same good as Mr. Strate had, you should get the same remedy. There are, of course, other kidney pills but there are no other kidney pills the same as Doan's. That is why Oakland people demand the genuine.

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